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MEMORANDUM FOR: Security Officer, DFD

SUBJECT: Project OXCART Clearances

1. With the activation of OXCART project, a requirement exists for the Security Office to activate OXCART clearances.
2. Immediate action is indicated to advise Mr. C. L. Johnson of new OXCART project clearance and briefing requirements. Mr. Johnson should be asked to forward to Project Headquarters the names of personnel on his staff previously cleared for GUSTO and who should be revalidated for Project OXCART. Also, Mr. Johnson should be requested to submit the names of additional Lockheed personnel who will require clearances with an indication of priorities required for the clearance. Further, request that Mr. Johnson forward the identities of other contractor personnel required by him to be cleared for OXCART project, with an indication of priorities and type of the clearance required.
3. Request that the Security Officer review with the undersigned contractor personnel, other than Lockheed, who now hold GUSTO clearances for the purpose of determining what persons should be revalidated for an OXCART clearance.
4. Mr. Bissell's desire is to limit and restrict OXCART clearances to a demonstrated "must know" basis. This should be our policy guide in considering clearance requests.
5. Suggest that the Security Officer DFD coordinate OXCART clearance actions with the undersigned.

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